PTO/SB/22(06-03) Approved for use through 7/31/2003. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, to persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 100718-18 CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION In re Application of Rainer Kropke et al I hereby certify that this Petition for Extension of Time is Filed Application Number being transmitted via facsimile t the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the 7th day of November, 2003 09/376,794 August 18, 1999 Cosmetic and Dermatological Preparations with a Content of Chitosan and Phospholipids Art Unit Examiner 1615 G. Kishore This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ 950.00 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.26. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half the resulting fee is: \$ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 14-1263 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. RECEIVED I am the applicant/inventor CENTRAL FAX CENTER assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). NOV 0 7 2003 attorney or agent of record. attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 53,123 WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. November 7, 2003 Date Signature (212) 808-0700 David D. Kim Telephone Number Typed or printed name NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than on signature is required, see below.

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